Zone Swimming Carnival

Our students led the way at Thursday’s Griffith & Zone PSSA Carnival with Elie, Harrison and Aisha qualifying for the Riverina Swimming Carnival in Albury next week.

All our students put in a stellar effort, some narrowly missing a place in their races; I commend all of them for their participation and behaviour on the day.

With a full swag of 1st, Harrison also took home the Junior Boys Champion. We wish these three swimmers all the best for Riverina.

School App

At the end of last year we launched a School app, unfortunately there were some glitches that meant phones couldn’t receive notifications. This problem has been fixed and the app is now fully operational. The app is available in both the Apple App store and Google Play store and is free.

To sign in you need to use the following:
Username: community
Password: darlingptonpts

Term 1 – Week 6

Monday, 2 March 2015
Student Representative Council (SRC)

Top Row: Tanieka (VC), Aisha (C), Brad (C), Jordan (5/6)
Middle: Coopah (2/3), Tom (4/5), Nadeen (4/5), Lachlan (3/4), Tamsin (5/6)
Front: Amarni (K), Dylan (1/2), Bethany (1/2), Jed (K)
Absent: Rohan (VC), Shiane (2/3), Britney (3/4)

The SRC is a group of students who have been voted into a position of Leadership by their peers. They are responsible for being the voice of their classmates when it comes to fundraising and the spending of funds held by this committee. Two representatives are selected from each class, with the School Captains and School Vice-Captains also being part of this group. This year the teacher in charge of the SRC is Mr Brown.

KIDS CAMP OUT 2015
WHEN: 21st - 22nd March 2015
WHERE: Narrandera Race Course
WHO FOR: Kids in Primary School Yrs 3 - 6
HOW MUCH: $10 / camper or $25 / Family
WHY: Opportunity for kids to join together with 200 others across the Riverina to enjoy loads of fun activities, camping, games, singing and to learn something about Jesus.

Come and be part of the Coleambally/Darlington Point/ Jerilderie community for 24 hours.

Please call Demi & Austin Evans on 69544256, Marg King (DP) 69684117 or Kat Creek (Jerilderie) for more info and to register.

Homework Centre
This Wednesday we will be starting a homework centre for the students of our school. We feel this is an area of need for our students to further assist them in their academic learning. The centre will provide them with opportunities to bring their class homework, home reader or a book from home and work with teachers or parents’ one on one. This centre will continue to run for 4 weeks (week 6 – week 9), and it will commence again in term 2, starting in week 2. It will take place in the Kindergarten room from 3:30pm – 4:30pm. Students are encouraged to bring extra food as no food will be provided at this time. Students will be sent home at 4:30pm, however, if you wish to pick them up, please do so promptly at the time.

If there are any parents or caregivers who would like to help out at the homework centre for some or all of the weeks, please contact the school. Any volunteers will need to have their Working with Children Check verified prior to assisting.
**Canteen News**

If children do not have any lunch at school, they will receive lunch organised by the teachers in the staff room, they will not receive food from the canteen. **There will be NO I.O.U’s at the canteen.**

Please make sure that each child has their own bag with class written on it. Brown bags are available to use at the canteen.

All donations of fruit/vegetables accepted.

**Canteen Roster – Term 1**

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Britney Goodsall is Star of the Week for 3/4 because she is a kind and caring student. She always tries her best and models excellent behaviour both in and out of the classroom. Britney is willing to help her peers and teachers and demonstrates a positive attitude towards all areas of her learning. She is a delight to have in 3/4!

**Kindergarten Students**

Kindergarten students will attend school full time as of this week.

Abbey and Elie working hard with Mrs Wood
Bidgee Bonus Awards

Term 1 Week 5

Kinder – Nil
1/2 – Kaileigh Forrester & Toby Reeve
2/3 – Daneeka Fejsa-Sexton & Shania Bamblett
3/4 – Cattaya Adams & Brayden Morgan-Murray
4/5 – Montana Brown, Gavin Jenner, Billy Reis-Burke & Rebecca Connell
5/6 – Nil

STARS
PERFORMING ARTS ACADEMY
Griffith’s Newest Studio
Will be having dance lessons on this Wednesday
@ Darlington Point Punt Hotel Hall
3.30pm to 4.30pm
Cheerleading/Jazz
4 to 7 year old $8.00 per class
All other ages $12.00 per class

MERIT AWARDS
TERM 1 WEEK 5

Kinder
Cody Higgins – his wonderful effort during reading lessons.
Zane Lyons – fantastic work during TEN lessons on addition.
Emily Carter – her beautiful peacock artwork.

1/2
Levi Ryan – being a consistent worker in all learning tasks. Great job!
DylanGoodsall – great ideas about halves in Mathematics. Well done!
Kaileigh Forrester – some excellent reading in L3 activities. Well done!

2/3
Shanice Johnson – showing enthusiasm and focus across all learning areas.
Shania Bamblett – consistently striving to improve her writing.
Daneeka Fejsa-Sexton – a strong understanding of subtraction strategies.

3/4
Brayden Morgan-Murray – demonstrating great skill and coordination during all Fitness lessons.
Izabella Zambon – working hard and great improvements in her reading.
Breeanna Charles – working hard in all Key Learning Areas.

4/5
Bryce Morgan-Murray – a consistent effort in all areas of his learning. Well done!
Nadeen Curphey – an excellent application to all areas in English.
Justin Jenner – applying himself to all tasks in Maths and for willingly assisting other students.

5/6
Zidaeyah Schaefer – being a stellar worker in Maths. Such a hard worker!
Chloe Regterschot – her incredible effort in Reading groups. You are amazing every day!
Jordan Smith – an excellent attitude in class. Keep it up!

Need to have at least 10 children attending otherwise it will be cancelled.

For further information call Jessica Forbes on 6964 3323